

SENATE BILL 2742

By White

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 37  
and Title 38, relative to law enforcement officer  
training.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1, is amended by  
adding the following as a new section:

Beginning in 2023, all full-time police officers shall receive annual in-service  
training on the common signs of child abuse and child sexual abuse, how to identify  
children at risk of abuse, and the reporting requirements of §§ 37-1-403 and 37-1-605.  
The training must be accomplished through the viewing of a video recording developed  
by a nonprofit charitable organization and approved by the POST commission.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.